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Dear Examiner Toomer:

Enclosed please find:

1. Application Serial #10/010,689, Perlman, Atty. Docket 0773442-4701 Second Amendment.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yrs truly,

**MPW** 

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In re Application of:

Perlman

Serial No.: 10/010,689 Filed: 11/08/2001 Group Art Unit: 1714 Atty Docket 0773442-4701

For: Freestanding plastic container for controlled

combustion of alcohol-based lighter fluid Examiner: Toomer, C.

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 22313-1450

SECOND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

## a.) Introductory Comments

In response to the communication from the examiner dated 09/04/2003, the following response is submitted.